

Nevada State Technical Advisory Committee Meeting*

November 5, 2015

9 a.m. - Noon

Host location: USDA SERVICE CENTER NRCS Field Office in Ely, Nevada

VTC Locations: all NRCS offices in Nevada, and USDA-RD Office in Carson City

Welcome and Introductions

Gary Roeder, ASTC- Programs

Minutes from the Last STAC meeting

Local Workgroup Reports – (Local Workgroups may inform the STAC of LWG activities)

FY 15 Summary of Accomplishments

- FA Programs
- Easement Programs
- Strikeforce
- Drought
- Sage Grouse Initiative

314 - Brush Management Specification

Bill Elder, State Resource Conservationist

325 – High Tunnel Systems Specification

FY 2016 FA Programs Proposed Fund Pools

Gary Roeder

- Local, State and National Initiatives

FY 2016 Practice Payment Caps or Limits

Paulette Balliette, Resource Conservationist - Programs

- High Tunnel Systems
- Pumping Plants

Client Gateway

Jarrold Edmunds, Area Resource Conservationist

Programs Discussion

Gary Roeder

- RCPP
- CSP – National Changes

Farm Service Agency Conservation Programs

Clint Koble, State Director

FY 2016 Easement Programs

Gary Roeder

- 2016 Geographic Area Rate Caps (WRE)
- WRE Ranking Tool
- WRE Reserved Grazing Option
- ACEP-ALE Ranking Tool
- Entity Workbook
- Grasslands of Special Significance
- ACEP Access Policy